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1. The area around the Boddenwerft near Stralsund is being made smaller because of the expansion of Puetnitz airfield. [redacted] three runways at the field were already in use again in early August. There were about 800 workers at Puetnitz at that time. The civil population of Puetnitz has been evacuated. The farmers land was taken over and they were given other places. The airfield will have six runways when completed. On 5 August, there were 50X1-HUM Russians stationed at the field. German personnel, with the exception of the workers, were not at the field. Work was proceeding day and night. At night, the working area was lit by beacons and lamps. The concrete and cement were sent to Damgarten through Stralsund and brought to the field in Russian trucks.

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These trucks were all ZIS 5 ton models with trailers. The entire area of the field will probably be 700 hectares.

2. At the entrance of Fuerstenwalde airfield and along the Chaussee, there are 12 guns in heavy emplacements. These guns have a barrel about 1.5 meters long with a muzzle brake. Underneath the barrel of each is a pedestal and a trigger mechanism which brings the gun into firing position. Under the barrel is a brake or recoil mechanism which constitutes about  $\frac{1}{4}$  or  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the gun. The magazine is fastened in a perpendicular position while the gun is in operation and is protected by a casing. A guard equipped with a machine pistol was seen at each gun.

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